## Congress of the United States

House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515–1602

April 27, 2021

Dear Chair DeFazio and Ranking Member Graves:

I am requesting funding for road rehabilitation and shoulder widening on K-7 in Crawford County, Kansas, in surface transportation reauthorization legislation.

The project sponsor for this project is the Kansas Department of Transportation, and the project is located on K-7 from the north city limits of Girard, Kansas, to the Crawford/Bourbon County Line in Crawford County, Kansas 66743.

The funding is designated for adding shoulders and widening existing shoulders on this stretch of highway.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to reduce the volume of rollover accidents that occur in this area. KDOT staff worked with local officials to identify practical improvements to the road that could begin quicker than attempting a full road reconstruction.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Jake LaTurner

Member of Congress